# 1997 Census of Agriculture

## County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, North Dakota Agricultural Statistics Service

#### MCKENZIE

#### NORTH DAKOTA

Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

		2	State	U.	s.
Item	Quantity	Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	46,500	25	53	1,267	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	25,513	31	53	1,077	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	20,987	8	53	1,196	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	19,246	3	53	430	3,063
Wheat	15,641	26	53	120	2,578
Other crops: potatoes, peanuts, etc	7,427	7	48	169	2,237
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	912	18	53	1,022	3,043
All other grains: rye, drybeans, etc	762	44	53	346	1,971
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	44,456	3	53	355	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	7,698	3	53	161	2,765
Hogs and pigs sold	2,608	25	53	1,462	2,976
Horses and ponies sold	128	15	53	701	3,015
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	27	39	1,461	1,882
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	71,805	4	53	303	3,064
Sheep and lamb inventory	7,479	4	53	194	2,864
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	2,230	4	53	938	3,002
Hogs and pigs inventory	1,929	24	53	1,367	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	1,367	9	53	456	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	185,758	27	53	72	2,612
Hay crops-acres	84,027	9	53	68	3,061
Barley-acres	12,912	37	53	113	1,411
Sugarbeets, sugar-acres	10,032	7	9	41	199
Oats-acres	5,649	33	53	105	2,332

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

### Other County Summary Highlights

			Percent	
Item	1997	1992	Change	
Farms by value of sales:				
Less than \$10,000	160	171	-6	
\$10,000 or more	508	570	-11	
Total farm production expenses\$1,000	36,479	35,784	2	
Average per farmdollars	54,691	48,423	13	
Net cash return from agricultural sales				
for the farm unit\$1,000	7,682	13,689	-44	
Average per farmdollars	11,518	18,524	-38	
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family	570	649	-12	
Partnership or corporation	92	89	3	
Other	6	3	100	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS				
Operators by principal occupation:				
Farming	497	577	-14	
Other	171	164	4	
Operators by sex:				
Male	634	711	-11	
Female	34	30	13	
Operators by race:				
White	659	736	-10	
Black and other races	9	5	80	
Average age of operator	53.7	52.5	2	

<sup>(</sup>D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

\* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

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